

JC20 Rec'd PCT/PTO 17 OCT 2009

PTO/SB/08ab (07-05)

Approved for use through 07/31/2008. OMB 065-10031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/B/PTO			Complete if Known Application Number 10/4553540 Filing Date Concurrently Herewith First Named Inventor Uwe Krauß Art Unit N/A Examiner Name Not Yet Assigned Attorney Docket Number 13156-00025-US	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Use as many sheets as necessary)				
Sheet	1	of	1	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Document Number Number-Kind Code ² (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
	AA*	US-4,337,220	06-29-1982	Arimatsu	
	AB*	US-4,539,287	09-03-1985	Grossa et al.	
	AC*	US-4,869,997	09-26-1989	Koch et al.	
	AD*	US-5,916,403	06-29-1999	Cushman et al.	
	AE*	US-6,326,124	12-04-2001	Alice et al.	

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /CP/

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document Country Code ³ -Number-Kind Code ² (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
	BA	DE-27 22 896	11-23-1978	E. I. duPont de Nemours and Company	See GB 1 579 817
	BB	DE-29 11 908	10-04-1979	Nippon Paint Co. Ltd.	See US 4,337,220
	BC	GB-1 579 817	11-26-1980	E. I. duPont de Nemours and Company	
	BD	DE-31 25 564	01-13-1983	E. I. duPont de Nemours and Company	See US 4,539,287
	BE	DE-37 04 694	08-25-1988	BASF AG	See US 4,869,997
	BF	EP-0 469 375	02-05-1992	BASF Aktiengesellschaft	See Abstract
	BG	EP-0 766 142	04-02-1997	E. I. duPont de Nemours and Company	
	BH	JP-2001-290384	10-19-2001	Ricoh KK	See Abstract and Translation

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /CP/

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ CITE NO.: Those application(s) which are marked with an asterisk () next to the Cite No. are not supplied (under 37 CFR 1.9(a)(2)(iii)) because that application was filed after June 30, 2003 or is available in the IFW. ² Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ³ See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ⁴ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁵ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁶ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁷ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.		
	CA	Technik des Flexodrucks, Coating Verlag, St. Gallen, 1999, pp. 73-74.		

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Examiner Signature	/Chancey Robinson/	Date Considered	12/18/2007
--------------------	--------------------	-----------------	------------